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Lear

John  
Elizabeth

Other Surnames

- |             |              |             |
|-------------|--------------|-------------|
| - Baynton   | - Joyner     | - Thompson  |
| - Bland     | - Mandew     | - Underwood |
| - Blith     | - Mansfield  | - Webb      |
| - Blythe    | - Norsworthy | - White     |
| - Body      | - Oldes      |             |
| - Chapman   | - Pitts      |             |
| - Clarke    | - Randall    |             |
| - Clothiers | - Randolph   |             |
| - Edwards   | - Ridley     |             |
| - Ferebe    | - Ruffin     |             |
| - Hamilton  | - Sharpe     |             |
| - Harvold   | - Sumner     |             |
| - Hieden    | - Swann      |             |
| - Hill      |              |             |
| - Hobbs     |              |             |

John

Rebecca the wife of Saml Setton was  
Cory + heir at Law of the sd Rebecca,  
the wife + devisee of the sd. Col. Char.  
Moryson + afterwards of Col. John Sear.  
No 4. Wm + M rd 9 - 100

COL. JOHN LEAR WILL W.&M. VOL.VII.P. 309 D.1695

MARRIED

- 1.-----BEFORE 1678
2. ANNE GEORGE; WIDOW OF COL GEORGE.
3. REBECCA YEO, DAU OF COL LEONARD YEO OF ELIZABETH CITY, WHO MARRIED 1ST CHARLES MORYSON OF ELIZABETH CITY. VA. MAG. VOL XLI. No. 1 PP. 88, 89.
4. ANNE WILLIS OF IPSWICH, MASS WIDOW OF SETH SOTHEL, GOV. OF NORTH CAROLINA. W. & M. VOL. VII P. 240.

John Sear of  
Hancumend 1692

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John

John Sear - mar. Anne the relict of  
Col. John George - being in the rd Co. on  
the southside of Castle ck. Quarter spring.  
ac by the rd wall  
W + D. Bk I - 460 2 of W.

June 9, 1681 - between John Sear of Haver. +  
Anne his wife + Tho. Pitt - Toxland wh. col.  
John George late of Sale of W. his then wife the  
above mentioned Ann - co side of Castle ck.  
Tho. Wardrope  
John Haver  
for Combe 2 of W + D B I Pg 460.

John Sear power of atty um Edwards Get  
to sue M. Humphry Marshall 1693  
Chas Goring  
John George 2 of W D. B I - 79

Rebecca widow of Chas Moryson of  
Eliza C. Co intermarried with Col. John  
Sear (1629). W + M. 9-90

Sear.  
Col. John Sear of the council mar  
Mrs Rebecca 2. second wife of Leonard Sear  
of Elizabeth City County, also relict of  
Charles Moryson m. her before 1670.  
re. Hist Mag vol. 29-40.

John

Sear. Col John = Rebecca widow of Col  
Francis Moryson. (after 1688) (Son of Sir Rich.  
Moryson) + It is suggestive that he leaves  
considerable property to Charles Goring Lord  
of John, through which it may appear  
that Rebecca his wife was a Goring probably  
a sister of John Goring.  
T. D. M. 7 - 279

John Sear  
son of Tho. + gr. son  
of Col. John = Elizabeth  
Executrix of Scabell.  
Harild He Ax. 7  
Dr. Seke Harild.

Ra. + H. Mag M 17  
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John

Sear

Col. John Sear of  
Hancumond Co. had  
a dau. Martha who  
mar. Col. Wm Cole of  
Warwick Co.

Wm vol 21-292

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The Sear Burgees

1685 - 1693. p 412.

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1665-

John Sear 1666 - p VIII

p 91 - Compt of inhabitant  
of Hancu - The Compt of  
lawe sett forth great abuses  
for wch the abused may have  
theire remedy att law agt  
the persons of whom they  
complain - To wtt St Ed.  
John Sear + May. David  
dear.

J H & B.

1639. 60/93

John

will of col John Sear. 1695 -  
of name to widow P<sup>th</sup>, my sister,  
dau Martha Burwell & dau  
Elizabeth Sear, widow of my dead son  
Thos Sear. gr-dau Elizabeth Sear  
to John George in default to my  
gr son John, Charles Gorringe.  
to Jane Montgomerie, to gr son  
John Sear.  $\frac{1}{3}$   $\frac{1}{3}$  to 2 gr-dau  
Elizabeth & Martha children of my  
only son Thos Sear.  $\frac{1}{2}$  to Martha  
Burwell children she had by col  
Cole, son-in-law Major Lewis  
Burwell. + of Thos Sear 1695.  
(will in Keene co. N. H. of  
Martha Sear, dau of col Sear was wife  
of col. w<sup>m</sup> Cole. Sect. of State & second  
wife of Maj Lewis Burwell of  
Gloucester.  
W & M 7-310.

Mr John Sear & Eliza his  
wife ex of Mrs Leatha Havild  
& Dr. Luke Havild

1712

I osw. W & D B 2, - 543

John

10-12-1728 let

John Sear of Haverhill  
Gent to Tho. Swann Gent  
of Sear Co - Cont 35 £  
plat in Norfolk Co called  
Northwest plat - abt  
12000 - formerly gtd by  
pat to Sube & Awill,  
O.S.

2-21-1728

John Langtry, Robt Peck & Ss.

John Hodges become tenant  
to Swann. 1-21-1728.

N B G - 116

N.C. (file under)  
Dary

Sear

Whereas it appears by the report  
of the Committee grounded upon an  
order of the Court C. of ye 11 of Dec  
1656, that there was accepted by  
John Sear, a portion given by his father  
Shields the sd Sear wife's mother  
in lieu of the estate due to her  
the sd Sear wife from the estate  
of Mr. Thos. Olden, decd. & that  
in relation thereto Capt Edw. Shields  
who was ex of sd Olden -  
made a delivery - by his wife  
to ye sd Sear wife in  
consideration of her father's legacy  
formerly deceased.

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of H. of G.

1619-38/4.

John

Elizabeth clothes of the 17th  
 Co. & John Sear of Hanscombed.  
 a part of 235<sup>th</sup> granted John  
 Sear in 1717 - leg. at a gum  
 Stand on the Swanne line  
 in the Cypress Swamp to  
 Capt. Barnaby Mackenney -  
 to him lawfully he gotten it  
 deeded with his heirs and  
 land to fall to ye next heirs  
 of John clothes.

Joseph Bridger  
 Thos. J. J. J.

1714

9 B. 1 - 248.

### Sear

Col. John Sear emigrated about middle of  
 17<sup>th</sup> Cent + settled in Hanscombed, M. H. of Berenger  
 M. of Council in 1683 - D. ed 6-27-1696.  
 Mar. 4 times. (1) — before 1678 by whom he had  
 a son Thos + dau. Martha. who mar. first col. am etc.  
 Sec. of state + 2. col Lewis Berwell (2) after  
 1678 Anne widow col. John Geo. (3) after 1688  
 Rebecca wid of col. Charles Morgan + col. Leonard  
 Geo of E. City Co. (4) Ann Willis of Spanish Mass  
 widow of Seth Southell, Gov. of N. E. He died  
 before 1690. Son Thos. Mar. Elizabeth dau of  
 col. Joseph Bridger. I see - Thos - John -  
 Elizabeth + Martha. The son John mar.  
 Elizabeth who was executrix of Isabella  
 Haverd who was " of No. Suck  
 Haverd, (see com + many IX - 124)

Ja. H. Mag. Vol 17 - 228-29.

John

## Lear

Complaint of inhabitants of Nansemond County--- the complaint (if true) sett forth great abuses for which the abused may have their remedy att law against the persons of whom they complain, to witt, Lt. Col. John Lear and Major David Lear.  
Feb. 20, 1676.  
Journal House of Burgesses, 1659/60-1693, p. 71.

Will of John Lear: O Nansemond county. Leg.-to widow Pitt my sister; daughter Martha Burwell; daughter Elizabeth Pitt, widow of my deceased son Thomas Pitt; granddaughter Elizabeth Lear; to John George; in default of issue to my grandson John Lear; to Charles Goreine; to James Montgomery; to granddaughters Elizabeth and Martha Lear, children of my decd. son Thomas; to Martha Burwell's children, which she had by Col. Cole.  
Exs., son-in-law Major Lewis Burwell and Col. Thomas Godwin.  
D. 1695. Died, June 27, 1696  
Will in Henrico County Clerk's Office.  
William & Mary Quarterly, vol. 7, p. 310.

Col. John Lear emigrated to Virginia about the middle of the 17th Century and settled in Nansemond County, where he became a member of the House of Burgesses, Member of the Council, in 1683. Died June 27, 1696. He married 4 times:- I. ----- before 1678 by whom he had two children, Thomas and daughter Martha, who married first Col. Wm. Cole, Secretary of state and second Col. Lewis Burwell; 2. after 1678, Anne widow of Col. John George. 3. after 1688, Rebecca, widow of Col. Charles Moryson and Col. Leonard Yeo of Elizabeth City County. 4. Ann Willis, of Ipswick, Mass., widow of Seth Sothell, Gov. of N. Car. She died before 1692. Son Thomas Lear married Elizabeth, daughter of Col. Joseph Bridger: Issue, Thomas, John, Elizabeth and Martha Lear. The son John Lear married Elizabeth, who was Hattx. of Isabella Haveild, who was Extx. of Dr. Luke Haveild.  
Virginia H. Magazine, vol. 17, p. 228-29

John Lear was a Burgess in 1666.  
Journal House of Burgesses, 1619-1659/60, p. VIII

Thomas Lear was a Burgess in 1685  
Journal House of Burgesses, 1659/60-1693, p. XII

Elizabeth

Day

Thos. Aunt Elizabeth  
Sear, Cny. Thos. Day, Cny. James  
Ridley, sister Jones, brother James  
Day, brother-in-law. Maltheys  
Jones, brother-in-law. Wm. Budger  
3daus of Mad Jones & one of Ridley

1723

W + M. 7-265-

James Day will, son  
James, son Thomas. 1723-  
Wife name not  
given.

W + M. 7-265-

John Clothes app. 12" 5" 9. Pg 41  
 by Tho. Mandew, Tho. Lendwood  
 Abraham Joryer Sept 25 - 1727.  
 207 W B 3. Sear.

Francis Noble land to Geo Mansfield  
 w/ Rich. Hill  
 Arthur Skymen - Sept. 17, 1667.  
 207 W. + D B I - Pg 108.

Wm Oldis - 304 a on ye W. side of  
 the Cypress, on Bodys line for transportation  
 of 7 men W + D B I - 43.  
 Jane Oldis his wife assign title to  
 Wm Blith - 44. (Sear)

Wm Oldis + Jane his wife unto Mr Rich. Sharpe  
 for ye use of Wm Bliths here in open cl.  
 1665 - 207 W W D B I Pg 44

(Sear.)

Wm Oldie of Hanemond + Robt Ruffin of  
 Surry Co. - pat d<sup>e</sup> dec 20, 1674 2050 a  
 of land between branches of Blockwater leg at  
 a red oak of Gt. Potts marked tree - to May  
 Geo Norcross of Hanemond co. 1250 a  
 550 of sd 1250 being joint interest - 700 a  
 being out of 2 in full of sd Robt Ruffin  
 share.

John White  
 John Clarke

Aug 9. 1678

D of W + N B I.

Elyahth Ruffin wife Anients.

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Card

Luke Havild of ye co  
 of name 10 of May - 1702  
 2 hath Ridley 200 a  
 more where in ye up.  
 par. now in ye possession  
 of Charles Chapman - purchased  
 by H<sup>on</sup> of Peter Baynton.  
 Tho Swann  
 James Hedges  
 James Hamilton.

N. B. I. - 352.

Cpl. Tho Swann = Mary Manfield  
 in 1681. she gave a power  
 of atty to her bro Wm. Edwards  
 who had married her sister Ann  
 (Geo Manfield will said ~~that~~  
 sister Ann was wife of Thos.  
 Sumner in 1670.)

Issue Mary = Rich Bland 1692

Tho = Eliza Thompson dau  
 of Wm. of Newmarket.  
 Sarah = Henry Randolph  
 (2) Giles Webb,  
 both of Henrico.

This is Tho - ed to have d. 1705,  
 Tho died in 1703 - C. J. C. of Col. V. 4-354  
 Mary widow of Cpl. Tho Swann  
 married Robt Randall.

W + M. 16-234.

Maj. Swann entry Bk. 1st - Transcripts  
 held by Mrs. Sarah Swann, AD. Luke  
 Harold, Mr. John Perche + Wm. Edwards  
 ex C. J. C. Col. Va. Vol 3-64. 1705-

William & Mary Quart. Vol 9 p 94 &c.  
was late in the possession of John Hear &  
Rebecca his wife which Samuel Selden  
1703- & Rebecca his wife, Cousin and Her at law  
to Rebecca the said wife of the said John Hear

He gave that Francis Ballard  
Sam Selden & Rebecca his wife Cousin &  
Her at law to Reb. the widow of Charles  
Moryson

Va Mag Order in Case of Hear vs. Struter. April the first 1658  
8 p. 393- there was accepted by John Hear a portion given  
by Mistrisse Struter, the said Hear's wife <sup>mother</sup> from the  
estate of Mr Thom. Oldis deid. And that . . . .  
Capt Edw. Struter, who married the Executrix  
of the said Oldis had made a delivery of severall  
the Goods & Chattells, by his wife to the said  
Hear's wife

Col John Hear d 1696

mar 1<sup>st</sup>

d Martha Hear

2nd Anne George wid

3 Rebecca Yes wid Moryson

4 Anne Hillis wid

at the . . . . .

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Col John Hear d 1696

mar 1<sup>st</sup>

d Martha Hear

2nd Anne George wrd

3 Rebecca Geo wrd Morison

4 Anne Hillis wrd

s Thom Hear in Eliz Bridger

s John in Eliz

Children of  
first wife

 ~~$\text{Methyl} = \text{CH}_3$~~ 

1) 1695-1700 = 1700  
 Conf. of John & George = 2100 (from George's letter of conf. John George)  
 before 1681

$$m_{\text{a}} t_{\text{h}} = \text{cf km}^2$$

The door = Elizabeth Bridger.  
(decd Hymn) 1895.

Elizabeth John Mathew

= See in Bessel

7  
 Request to James Montgomery.  
 Charles Green &